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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - G.A.U. 2772

Docket No. 862.811 Cont.

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TSUNEAKI KURUMIDA

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Filed: August 26, 1996

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
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TOTAL	*	MINUS	**	_	x \$11	
_CLAIMS_	16		24	= 0	\$22	\$0
INDEP.	*	MINUS	***		x \$41	
CLAIMS	3		3	= 0	\$82	\$0
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims \$135/\$270						
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X	Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York Office by telephone at (212) 218-2100 or by facsimile at (212) 218-2200. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.
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## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 21, 1998 (Paper No. 20), a timely Notice of Appeal and Petition For Extension of Time having been filed on July 21, 1998, please amend the above-identified application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 43-65 without prejudice.
Please added Claims 66-80 as follows: